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# DIXON EVENING TELEGRAPH

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## LOOK FOR MAN AND WOMAN IN MYSTERY OF LENOX MURDER

COMPANION OF DIXON MAN UP TO SUPPOSED TIME OF DEATH, GONE.

## PROBABLY MURDERED NOV. 1

Were Last Seen On That Day—Remains Brought To Dixon This Morning.

The remains of Charles Roy Lenox were brought to this city by automobile this morning, and on account of the badly decomposed condition of the body, were taken direct to Prairieville cemetery for interment. The body was found in an abandoned well on a farm eight miles south of Cambridge Saturday morning by a hunter. A coroner's jury was impaneled Monday morning and after reviewing the remains and taking the testimony of Michael Blackburn of this city, who identified the body, the inquest was continued until Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock in order to subpoena other witnesses.

That Mr. Lenox met with foul play there is no doubt in the minds of the authorities of Henry county. On the right side of the head near the temple was a deep gash having the appearance of having been inflicted with an axe. The body was badly bloated from being in the water so long and decomposition had set in. The authorities are now trying to locate a man and his wife who were with Lenox when he was last seen by the farmer on whose land the body was found.

Left Dixon Aug. 17.

Mr. Lenox left Dixon about August 17 with Fred Benson. The men had fitted up a covered wagon and with some horses they had bought up started over the country to follow the vocation of horse trading. Lenox being a good judge of animals who had always been quite successful in trading. The men worked north from this city as far as Dubuque, Ia., and there Benson tired of the life and left Lenox, about the middle of September. Lenox then started down the Mississippi river, visiting various towns and about seven weeks ago was in camp near Fulton. He had dealings there with James Malone, Lenox having at one time been in the livery business there and he told Malone he had cleaned up some money and is reported to have exhibited quite a roll of money at the time. He had with him about sixteen head of horses and a companion who hailed from Peoria, whose wife was traveling with them, doing the cooking. Lenox told parties at Clinton that he was on his way to Peoria.

Camped Near Cambridge.

Lenox and his party arrived at Cambridge about the last of October and had their camp pitched about eight miles south of town on Sadie Pratt's farm. The man on the farm was talking with Lenox and his partner about 9 o'clock on the night of Nov. 1 and he was to exchange horses with them the following morning. The farmer got up early the next morning and on going toward the pas-

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## Conference To Be Held Here For The Older Boys And Girls

The older boys and girls of Lee School association. There will be others from nearer home, including a number of the young people themselves.

The boys and girls are to have separate meetings during the day, including a good time at noon, which is being arranged by the local entertainment committee. At 5 o'clock there will be a joint social session which promises to be very enjoyable from the hints that have slipped out from the committee in charge. At 6 will be the banquet for all sections of the conference, followed by after-dinner speeches.

Adult leaders will have a conference at 5 o'clock. At other times during the day they will be welcome, but must keep still until asked to speak by the conference officers, who will be elected from the boys and girls.

The day looks as though it would be a treat for everybody who attends, and those who do not come will miss something.

Mr. Clarence N. Wright of Oberlin, who was the star speaker at the international Teen Age Banquet in Chicago, is to be at the conferences, also Mr. A. F. Hammesfahr, one of the workers of the Illinois State Sunday

## Sheriff Refuses To Accede; Gov. Dunne Grants Third Stay

*Elliston Scott, Negro Murderer Reprieved Until Jan. 11*

(Associated Press)

Springfield, Dec. 14—Because Sheriff White of Jackson county has refused to accede to his demand that Elliston Scott, the negro, be executed "decently and properly" Gov. Dunne today granted another reprieve to the condemned man, extending his life from Dec. 17 to Jan. 11. This is the third reprieve.

Gov. Dunne charged that invitation tickets were sold on the streets of Murphysboro prior to the execution of Joe DeBerry, murderer of Mrs. Martin, wife of an attorney.

Following the DeBerry scandal, Gov. Dunne asked Sheriff White for assurances that the law would be obeyed in the execution of Scott, and White's refusal to comply with the chief executive's request resulted in the first reprieve. White still was obdurate and so Dunne granted a second reprieve, to expire Dec. 17. The sheriff's attitude, as expressed in his correspondence with the governor is not changed, consequently the third reprieve granted today.

## TAMPICO BOY BEING SEARCHED FOR HERE

*GEO. BURKE, AGED 17, HAS BEEN MISSING SINCE SUNDAY MORNING.*

Another lost boy is being sought in this city, but up to press time no trace had been found of him. J. P. Peckham, residing on a farm a mile and a half south of Tampico, came to Dixon this morning and asked the aid of the police in trying to learn whether George B. Burke, aged 17 years, had been in this city. The lad is described as being about 5 feet, 9 inches tall and he had on a black broadcloth suit, a dark blue chinchilla overcoat, light-weight brown cap, and wore button shoes. He left home Sunday morning to go to church and since then has not been seen. He was seen going north from Tampico and it is thought he went to Sterling and as no trace of him could be found there it was believed he might have come to Dixon. Mr. Peckham came to Illinois about two years ago from Kansas and got the boy from a Kansas orphan home.

## WOULD IMPEACH U.S. ATTORNEY

*Illinois Congressman Reads Impeachment to House Today.*

(Associated Press)

Washington, Dec. 14—Representative Buchanan of Illinois, labor leader, read in the House today articles of impeachment of Snowden Marshall, federal attorney of New York, charging him with corruptly neglecting his duties by refusal to prosecute certain cases of violation of the federal state eight-hour laws, and other things.

## WINTER SHOWS NEED OF GOOD FELLOWS IS GREATER THAN EVER

*FIRST STINGING COLD BRINGS A REALIZATION OF MUCH WORK TO BE DONE.*

## CASH DONATIONS NEEDED BADLY

*Money Necessary To Buy Clothing for Children—Rink Donates Coal to Poor.*

Winter is getting in its bitter work and the need for Good Fellows and many of them is becoming acute. There are many poor families in Dixon this year and reports to date show that there are more persons in need this year than in several years past.

Frank Rink has come forward with his annual donation and it is thankfully received. He will donate four loads of coal to the poor this year and puts the fuel at the disposal of the Good Fellow committee. Such a donation as this is of a most desirable and substantial nature.

Cash donations have been scarce so far. Those that have come in have been very generous but we need more of them. To date there is \$25 in cash in the hands of the Good Fellow committee. \$25 will not last long when it comes to buying shoes and rubbers and stockings and little sweaters.

Get busy, Mr. and Mrs. Good Fellow, and play Santa Claus for some little lad or lassie who needs your help. You can afford it, for it does not cost much.

The wants of the little children of the poor are pitifully simple and practical. They do not ask for expensive toys. Their thoughts are more of the things they need and a suit of underwear or a pair of shoes, a stocking cap or mittens will usually hit them just right. Sometimes they want a couple of oranges or a bag of candy, and surely they are entitled to that much from the more fortunate people of this city.

We have many calls from distressed mothers and longing kidlets. Are their appeals to be answered?

## HOLIDAY WEEK WILL BE BUSY AT Y.M.C.A.

*PLANS BEING MADE FOR ENTERTAINMENT EVERY DAY OF WEEK*

## "AT HOME" NIGHT BIG FEATURE

There will be something doing every day during holiday week at the Y. M. C. A. building if present plans are carried out. Monday evening, December 27th, will be boys' night at the building and special attractions will be arranged for their benefit. Tuesday night will be open night for the men of the city and there will be games in the gymnasium, wrestling bouts, tub and swimming races, and the evening will close with refreshments. Wednesday evening it is hoped to have a bowling contest between teams from the Sterling and Dixon Associations. Thursday night a social will be held to which the public will be invited and a good time in general will be arranged for that evening. Friday evening will be "at home" night for the boys who are away attending school.

## COMMITTEE PICKS MEETING DATE

*Republican Convention To Be Held June 7—City Not Named*

(Associated Press)

Washington, Dec. 14—The Republican national committee's subcommittee on Convention Call reported in favor of holding the national convention June 7, 1916, but made no mention of any of the four big cities that want the big meeting.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

George H. Bontje, Marion; Mary M. Caton, Reynolds.

William M. Hull, Rochelle; Oda A. Plummer, Dixon.

## DIXON SINGERS GAVE GREAT PERFORMANCE

*PIRATES OF PENZANCE WAS REVELATION TO FRIENDS MONDAY EVE*

## REPEAT PRODUCTION TONIGHT

An enthusiastic audience was greatly and happily surprised by the skillful and complete production of "The Pirates of Penzance" given at the Dixon opera house Monday evening by Dixon singers, assisted by William Klocke, Jr., of Rock Falls, and Mrs. Hazelrigg, formerly of the Andrews' Opera Co. In every way the performance was a revelation, for while all their friends knew that the sixty or more Dixonites in the cast were capable of excellent work, they were not prepared for the completeness of their ensemble work.

The principals—Willard Beach as the Pirate King, W. G. Kent as Samuel, William Klocke as Frederick, Dr. L. R. Evans as Major General Stanley, William Laxton as Sergeant of Police, Mme. Anita Kent as Ruth, Bernice Friedline, Gladys Steel and Neva Phillips as Stanley's daughters and Nellie Hazelrigg of Mabel, the favored child—were all excellent. Their singing was pleasing and their stage presence and action showed careful rehearsals and work.

The performance was indeed a happy one in every particular and should merit the members of the company and St. Luke's choir under whose auspices the opera is produced, a crowded house this evening. The curtain will be held until 8:15 o'clock this evening to allow workers in the stores to attend.

ASK COUNCIL TO PROVIDE SKATING RINK BY FLOODING PARK.

## MRS. HOYLE INJURED IN AUTO COLLISION

*CRASHED AT INTERSECTION OF THIRD ST. AND PEORIA AVE. MONDAY.*

The second automobile accident within month at the corner of Third street and Peoria avenue occurred at about 6 o'clock Monday evening when cars being driven by Frank Hoyle and Harvey Miller collided. The Buick car driven by Mr. Hoyle was badly damaged, but fortunately no one was seriously injured.

Mr. Hoyle was driving a car owned by Charles Hill and with his wife was going north on Peoria avenue and had just made the turn at the corner of Third street to go west. Harvey Miller, going east on Third street, when ready to make the turn north on Peoria avenue suddenly noticed two headlights flash into his face and the bright light dazzled him for a second or so and then came the crash. The Miller car struck the front wheel of the Hoyle car and all the spokes were broken, the windshield was smashed and the fender badly bent. The frame of the Mil'er car was slightly sprung and a headlight broken but it escaped further damage.

The collision threw Mrs. Hoyle against the windshield and she sustained a slight cut on the face and a bad bump under the eye. She was taken to the Dr. Cleividence home nearby and after it was found that her injuries were not serious she was taken to her home.

EMPEROR IS PARALYZED

(Associated Press)

Paris, Dec. 14—The Rome correspondent of the Matin says that Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria was paralyzed last year, at which time he lost the use of his legs and his right arm.

McKenzie ON MILITARY BODY

(Associated Press)

Chicago, Dec. 14—Thousands of tons of Christmas and other seasonal goods for the Pacific coast and war supplies for Europe were halted today by the strike of 600 engineers

firemen, switchmen and trainmen on the Chicago Belt Railway. The men struck because the company has refused to maintain passenger train service for the employees to the new terminal yards at Clearing.

## CHICAGO HAS RAILROAD STRIKE

Trainmen On Belt Line Quit Work—

Freight Is Tied Up

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## THE WEATHER

Tuesday, Dec. 14, 1915.

Increasing cloudiness tonight and Wednesday with probable snow.

Temperatures Max. Min. Prev.

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**Do You Read Labels?**

Domestic science teachers and food authorities are urging the housewife to carefully read the labels on all food articles.

The laws of most States compel food manufacturers to print the ingredients of their products on the label, and this enables consumers to distinguish healthful foods from those which may be deleterious.

High-grade baking powders are made of pure cream of tartar, derived from grapes. Royal Baking Powder is a type of the highest grade. It is healthful beyond a doubt and the safest and best to use.

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**Society Notes of Dixon  
and Vicinity****At Dinner**

Mrs. Ben McWilliam entertained at dinner yesterday Mr. and Mrs. Dan Missman of Columbia, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gordes and son Edward, and Mrs. Hannah Snow in her fine new residence.

**Guest from Iowa**

Raymond Fitzenry of Breda, Ia., is a guest at the home of Supervisor J. P. Drew and family of Palmyra.

**Wednesday****CALENDAR EVENTS  
FOR COMING WEEK**

Kingdom-Bend Aid—Mrs. D. W. Osbaugh

Palmyra Mutual Aid—Mrs. Edward Shawer

**Thursday.**

W. E. Crochet club—Mrs. Elizabeth Thomann

Thursday Reading Circle—Mrs. W. T. Greig

**In Chicago**

Mrs. Albert Listy, of Rowley, Ia., who spent the week end at the J. W. Bushyhome, is spend a few days with friends and relatives in Chicago.

**Agency for  
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Sr. Vice Commander—L. W. Mitchell  
Jr. Vice Commander—Henry Squier  
Surgeon—A. Gaul  
Officers of the Day—H. J. Cook  
Chaplain—S. Hoon  
Officer of the Guard—John T. Reid.

Delegates to department encampment at Decatur in June: C. I. Will, S. S. Dodge; alternates: S. Hoon, E. Wernick.

Trustee for three years—L. W. Mitchell.

The other officers, adjutant, patriotic instructor, sergeant, major and quarter master sergeant are appointed, and will be named later.

**W. R. C. Election**

Sixty-two members of the W. R. C. attended the meeting of the Corps Monday afternoon at which time the following officers were elected:

President—Mrs. Nellie Eastman  
Senior Vice President—Mrs. Clara Alderfer

Junior Vice President—Mrs. Hatice Wise

Chaplain—Mrs. Nancy Prescott  
Treasurer—Mrs. Birdie McKinney  
Guard—Mrs. Mary Ruppert

Conductor—Mrs. Maude Simonson  
Delegates to district convention (to be held in Decatur in June) Mesdames Greig, Wise, Brown and McKinney.

Alternates—Mesdames Stackpole, McGowan, Stauffer

The Dollar club will entertain the members of the Corps and other friends at G. A. R. hall Wednesday afternoon, the affair being a thimble party in honor of Mrs. C. E. Stebbins a member, who is soon to leave the city.

**Thursday Reading Circle**

The Thursday Reading Circle will meet with Mrs. W. T. Greig Thursday afternoon at 2:30. The following program will be carried out:

Roll call—Quotations from some Christmas poem

Solo—The Star of Bethlehem—Mrs. Lee Read

"Two Petty Principalities, Monte Carlo and Monaco, and Russia from Within"—(Bay View Magazine) Mrs. Corbin, leader.

Reading—What Tommy Told the Duchess—Mrs. Read

Solo—The Gift—Mrs. Herbert Harms

Reading—Is Santa Claus Real—Mrs. Robt. Anderson

Piano solo—William Grieg, Jr.

**Unique Luncheon**

The scramble luncheon of Chapter A. C. Illinois P. E. O., with Mrs. A. A. Rowland yesterday was a most delightful affair. The hostess made use of the clever scheme of having the guests assist in the serving of the luncheon, not only making the work lighter for the hostess but also banishing effectively all formality.

When the guests arrived they found that Mrs. Rowland and Miss Garnett, the entertainment committee for the day, had prepared the table, decorating in the Christmas

colors with red candles in the candleabra used as the centerpiece, and Christmas place cards, and that the first course, grape fruit, was already served, according to the little rhyme read by Miss Garnett, "That everything will go off pat, And you will all know where you're at, Our first course I served, you find; Eat it all except the rind."

As each guest turned over her place card she found thereon a rhyme assigning her to some task in the serving of the luncheon. Mrs. Ned Coe and Mrs. C. P. Reid were directed to remove the grape fruit; Mrs. Mark Keller and the two Miss Judds were directed to bring the plate of "spuds," and the rest of the meat course of veal birds, peas en casserole, and cranberry-nut jelly. Mrs. Udd and Mrs. Barlow removed the plates of the meat course, and Mrs. Lehman and Mrs. Leland brought the dessert course of whipped cream cake. Lastly the coffee was poured by Mrs. Trowbridge and Mrs. Strong. The good time began at the luncheon continued throughout the afternoon.

**Hobo Party**

A "hobo" party was the latest departure in entertaining the Queen Esther society of the Methodist church.

Misses Margaret and Olive Anderson chose this novel method of entertaining and everyone voted it a great success.

The members went to the Anderson home on N. Galena avenue dressed as hoboes, an itinerant preacher being in the gang, and from where they hit the ties until they found a likely stopping place for hand-outs. Going to the kitchen door of Mrs. Felkins' home, they found her inclined to be generous, but desiring more they continued until they reached the Rickard home where Miss Hannah Madison gave them without stint. Finding no cross dogs to impede their return, they made their way to their first hanging out place and ate their supper, finding the Misses Anderson quite ready to augment their already sumptuous lunch.

Four members of the gang, Misses Beth Williams, Eva Lawton, Jennie Harding and Mary Hintz, for these were "lady tramps," contributed to the after-feast merriment—Misses Williams and Lawton with a piano duet, Miss Harding with a reading, and Miss Hintz with a piano solo.

Then the "hoboes" feeling in a benevolent mood, stuffed animals for some little children that they might have a Christmas unstinted in happiness.

**Christmas**

Mrs. Rowe's S. S. class of the Methodist church will be entertained at the home of Mrs. George Anderson, 315 Ottawa Avenue, tomorrow afternoon.

**Tuesday Evening Club**

The Tuesday Evening club will meet this evening with Mrs. Daniel Blackburn.

**SAVE YOUR COMBINGS**

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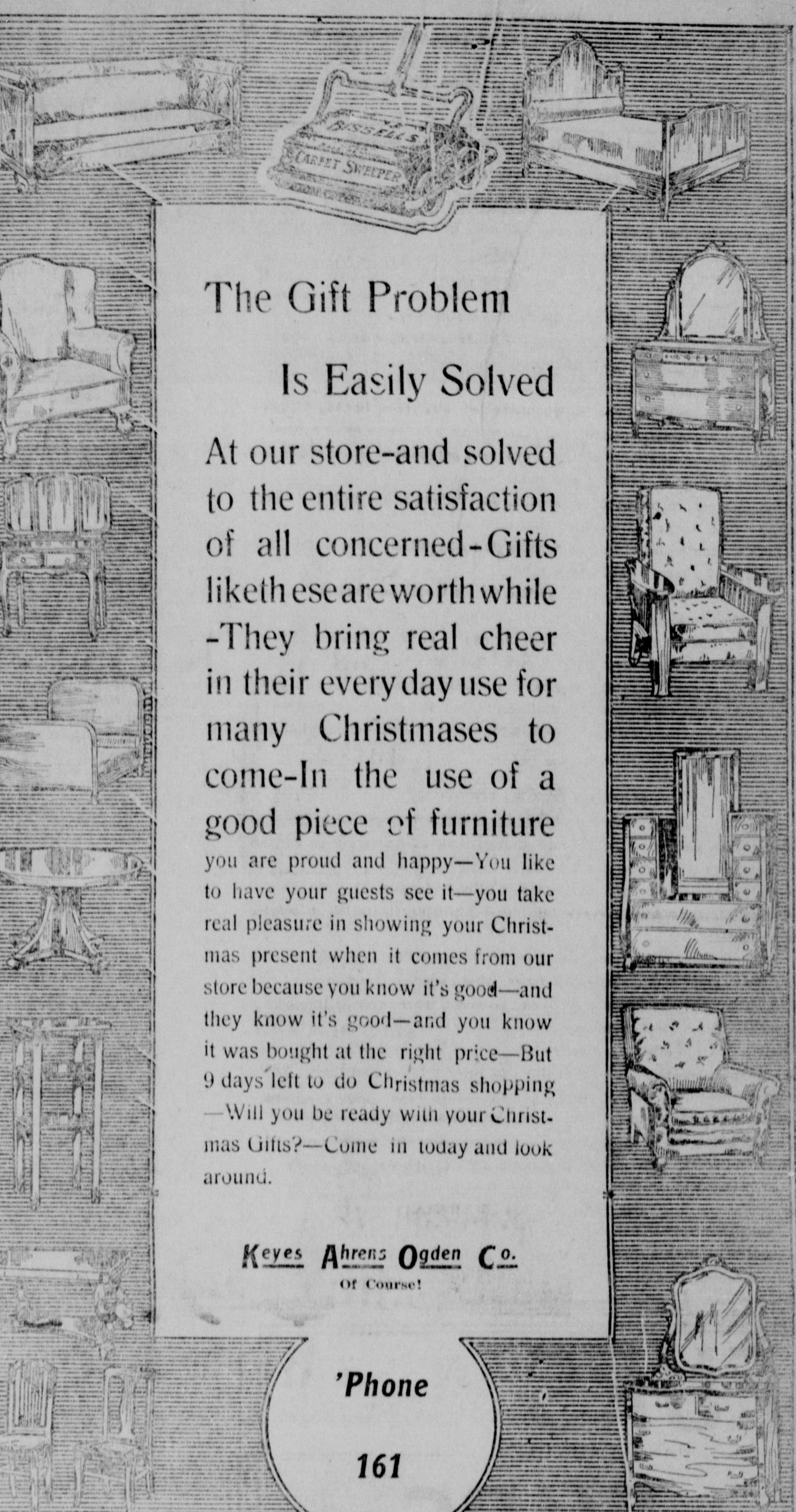
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## WILSON AND MONROE DOCTRINE.

The president skillfully interprets the Monroe doctrine as no longer implying a guardianship by the United States over South America. We are now partners; there are no guardians and no wards. But while the independent states of this hemisphere are "co-operating friends," on a footing of genuine equality, we Americans still feel that common cause must be made in protecting these western waters from overseas aggression. In regard to the obligation to furnish military and naval defense for all Latin America against European invasion or oppression, Mr. Wilson lands precisely where all of his predecessors have landed, and this fact is highly important. There has been a growing belief in recent years that Argentina, Brazil and Chili, for example, no longer needed our protection; with them eliminated, the burden of defense falling upon the United States would be greatly diminished. That the president adheres to the old Monroe doctrine's implications in his defense programme is not a convincing aspect of his address, and there may well be sharp questioning in congress. But, undoubtedly, if the United States must protect all Latin America, as it would necessarily its own territorial possessions, the programme outlined in this address cannot be regarded as open to serious challenge, except in matters of detail.—Springfield Republican.

## ALTGELD WROTE THIS ONE.

Collier's: Governor Altgeld of Illinois is better understood by most of us today than he was in his lifetime—though some of us were keen enough to appreciate his qualities then—Minister to Belgium Brand Whitlock, for one. This year Secretary of State Woods of Illinois places in his "Blue Book" Governor Altgeld's message to young men—a ringing invitation to service and to ideals:

"Young men, life is before you. Two voices are calling you—one coming from the swamps of selfishness and force, where success means death, and the other from the hilltops of justice and progress, where even failure brings glory. Two lights are seen in your horizon—one the fast fading marsh light of power, and the other the slowly rising sun of human brotherhood. Two ways lie open before you—one leading to an ever lower and lower plain, where are heard the cries of despair and the curses of the poor, where manhood shrivels and possession rots down the possessor; and the other leading off to the highlands of the morning, where are heard the glad shouts of humanity and where honest effort is rewarded with immortality."

## GETTING ALONG IN YEARS.

Springfield (Mass.) Republican: It is only the Sixty-fourth congress, yet that means a fairly venerable antiquity as national assemblies go. And, perhaps, no country has packed more politics into the same period.

# FURS FURS FURS

**Wednesday, Dec. 15th**

We will show at our store a complete line of High Class Furs from one of the largest manufacturers. Fur Sets and separate Muffs in Mink, Fox, Hudson Seal, Beaver, etc. This is an opportunity to make your Christmas selection of Furs from a big assortment.

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**BRITISH LOSS IS 40,000, REPORT****Berlin Claims Two Battalions Annihilated in Balkans.****SERBIA IS CLEARED OF ALLIES**

Greek Army Withdraws from Saloniki—May Oppose Bulgarian Advance into Greek Territory—Paris Report Says Losses of Pursuers Were Heavy—Allies in Greece.

Berlin, Dec. 14.—"Approximately two British divisions (40,000 men) have been annihilated in Macedonia," the war office announces. The allied armies, entirely out of Serbia, are retreating on Saloniki and the Greek army is withdrawing from their path.

Berlin, Dec. 14.—The conquest of Serbia has been completed. The Anglo-French forces have been driven completely from Serbian soil.

General Todoroff's Bulgarian army has occupied Doiran and Glevgeli, the last Serbian cities held by the expeditionary forces; it was officially announced. Two English divisions were annihilated in the final fighting.

"There are no more free French or English in Macedonian territory," the war office announced.

The last of the Serbian regulars retreated from southwestern Serbia into Albania after the fall of Monastir. They were pursued through Struga and Ochrida by Bulgarian forces.

Bulgarian advance guards have reached the Greek frontier at several points in their pursuit of the retreating Anglo-French.

Greeks Give Allies Clear Field. London, Dec. 14.—The actual withdrawal of the Greek army from the path of the allied forces which are retreating on Saloniki is said to have been effected. A Reuter telegram filed in Athens says:

"As a result of the agreement between the Greek general staff and the allied generals, the division of the Greek army which has been stationed at Lungaza has been withdrawn to Serres, about fifty miles northeast of Saloniiki. The zone between Saloniiki and Doiran has been left free for movements of the allied troops.

"The allied military authorities took over a portion of the custom house at Saloniiki.

## Say Bulgars Lost Heavily.

Paris, Dec. 14.—A dispatch to the Havas agency from Athens dated Sunday says:

"The battle between the Bulgarian and the British troops north of Doiran (Serbia) was exceedingly violent," says the Athens correspondent of the Havas agency in a dispatch dated Sunday. The message continues:

"Two columns of Bulgarians with light artillery succeeded in shaking the British line, which retired to the second line. A British attack, supported by powerful artillery, repulsed the enemy, however, inflicting heavy losses. The British are drawing back their line toward the Greek frontier in accordance with General Sarrail's plan.

"The station master at Doiran reports that shells fell today (Sunday) in the vicinity of the station."

## British Defeat Turks at Bagdad.

London, Dec. 14.—Turkish attacks on the British Mesopotamian army at Kut-el-Amara have been repulsed, it is officially announced. British reinforcements are being rushed forward.

## COMMUNIPAW RIDDLE GROWS

More Conflicting Reports Reach Washington as to the Ship.

Washington, Dec. 14.—More conflicting dispatches about the attack on the American tank steamer Communipaw, have reached the state department. One, dated at Malta, said the Communipaw had just reached Alexandria and that "the casualties will be reported later."

Another dispatch indicated that the Communipaw on Dec. 3 had been stopped by an unknown submarine. Various dispatches last week reported the ship sunk, captured and at Alexandria. Officials do not know what to make of the mass of conflicting reports.

Order your engraved calling cards early. You will need them to enclose with your Christmas gifts. Call at the Telegraph office and see the beautiful new samples.

**CLEAN SMOKE**

5c EACH 5c

Smoke 'em after every meal. Buy 'em by the box.

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**Dramatic Notes**

## FAMILY THEATRE

An extra special feature in six reels will be shown at the Family theatre this evening entitled The Family Cupboard or the Better Woman, featuring Holbrook Blinn. No children will be admitted this evening. On tomorrow evening William Hart will be featured in the great western story of The Bargain, and on Thursday night Marguerite Clark will be seen in The Pretty Sister of Jose. The celebrated actor, William Farnum, will be featured on Friday evening in one of the greatest pictures never produced, entitled The Nigger or The New Governor. Four excellent acts of vaudeville will also be given during the entire week.

## OPERA HOUSE

"The picture of a baby—quite a delightful little youngster—was flashed upon the screen. He was a September Morn baby—almost—and he got hold of his father's pipe, ate flowers, swallowed around making mud pie and finally distinguished—or rather extinguished himself with jam from head to foot. The audience smiled, it chuckled and laughed. It rocked around until the whole theatre was in convulsions except that little one year old baby. It evidently didn't care a bit about the camera. It was just human interest—that one touch of human nature which makes all the world akin"—the artistry and simplicity of it all that completely captivated everybody!"—Mr. Howe has arranged for that same baby to play a return engagement here at the Dixon Opera House, Thursday, Dec. 16th. True, everything else on the program will be entirely new from the sublimely beautiful scenes of both California Expositions and a trip through the Panama Canal to quaint Bruges, in Belgium, picturesque Holland, a ride on a submarine, etc.

Illustrated travelogue on Starved Rock will be shown at Dixon Opera House tonight.

Beautiful, historical and romantic. Once the home of Shabbona and thousands of Indians; surrounded by a wealth of early history and Indian legend; lately acquired by the state of Illinois for a state park.

To this point came LaSalle, Father Marquette, Tonty and other early explorers.

Here was enacted the famous Indian massacre which gave to the rock its name. Here occurred the wedding and escape.

You can see and hear of these beautiful and interesting places without effort and in a short space of time; whereas, if you were to visit the rock it would require many days to reach them all, and, as some spots are almost inaccessible, great physical effort would be required.

Captain Ballard has spent forty years on the Illinois river and is thoroughly acquainted with every spot and its history.

The school children should have an opportunity to attend this entertainment. It will interest and instruct them. There will be other feature attractions.

Send your live stock to Shan-

Suitable Gift Suggestions for Men.

**Lounging Robes**

Every man likes a Lounging or Bath Robe. If you want to make him comfortable and win his lasting friendship give him a Bath or Lounging Robe. Our displays show all the newest effects at prices ranging

From \$2.50 to \$10.00

**VAILE AND O'MALLEY**

LOOK FOR THE SIGN V. &amp; O.

**MARTIN RESIGNS DIXON POSITION**

Sales Manager of Reynolds Wire Co. Will Go West Soon.

Herbert W. Martin, who for some time past has been sales manager for the Reynolds Wire company, has resigned, his resignation to take effect on Friday, Dec. 17. Mr. Martin, it is understood, goes to a very lucrative position in the west. He takes this opportunity of thanking the many close friends in Dixon of Mr. Martin and himself for the many courtesies and kindnesses shown in the past seven years. Mr. and Mrs. Martin are delightful, highly cultured people and their many Dixon friends greatly regret their departure.

—Think first of Rings for Gifts at non Bros. & Co., Union Stock Yards, Trein's Jewelry Store. 290tf Chicago. 253tf



## PRINCESS THEATRE.

Tonight the Princess will show a three reel Lubin drama entitled "A Desert Honeymoon," with Romane Fielding and Vinnie Burns in the leading roles, the thrilling romance of a tempress which is wonderfully related by an all star cast of Lubin players. This feature is one which everyone will enjoy and is excellent in every way. The comedy for the evening is an Essanay entitled "The Parson's Horse Race," one of the funniest comedies ever made by the Essanay company. Tomorrow night a four part Edison feature entitled "The Plow-share" will be shown.

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**Christmas News**

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Furnishings  
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**Xmas Suggestions**

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Handkerchiefs, Smoking Jackets, Bath Robes  
Underwear, Pajamas.

**NEW STYLES AND SHAPES IN HOLIDAY Headwear.** ONE PRICE \$2.00

COME HERE FOR XMAS ECONOMY. OPEN EVENINGS

**GRAND DETOUR.**

Grand Detour, Dec. 13—Newton Dudley of Chicago is visiting his sister, Mrs. George Weyant, and husband.

W. L. Palmer went to Oregon on Tuesday to attend a supervisors' meeting.

Miss Bess Johnson of Dixon spent last week here with her sister, Mrs. J. F. Cox, and husband.

J. F. Welty and son came home on Monday from a two weeks' visit in Iowa with his sister, Mrs. Will Remmers, and family.

Several from here attended the

dance at the Lester Reese home at Oak Ridge Thursday night.

Dr. and Mrs. Ankhurst drove to Dixon on Thursday.

The Aid society met at their hall all day Thursday.

Mrs. Caroline Remmers is visiting her sister, Mrs. Krehl and other relatives in Aurora.

George Remmers and daughter motored to Dixon Saturday.

Harry Baker and wife of Mt. Morris spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tholen.

Carrie Portner is at home for a few days.



This is a Victor-Victrola X, \$75

**Why not put a Victor-Victrola in your home this Christmas?**

The musical instrument that every one can play; that every one can afford.

Its remarkable variety of music and entertainment gives pleasure to every one, and its wonderful tone is a delight every day in the year.

You surely don't want to be without a Victor-Victrola in your home; and you don't need to be for there's a Victor-Victrola to suit every purse—\$15, \$25, \$40, \$50, \$75, \$100, \$150, \$200.

Come in today and hear this wonderful instrument and find out about our easy terms.

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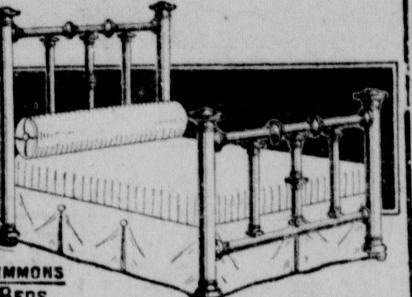
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It is money well invested and money saved.

What would be nicer for Father.

Mother,  
Sister,  
Brother,  
Wife,  
Husband,  
than a beautiful!

**Brass Bed**

We have many patterns with a wide range of price and style. Come and see our Holiday goods.

We Deliver Anywhere

**CHIVERTON & QUICK**

Furniture—Stoves—Rugs

Goldie Strouse came home Sunday from Stratford, where she has been for some time with her sister, Mrs. Powell, and husband.

Sunday was Grandma Earll's 91st birthday and a dinner party was held in honor of the event. Among those present were her son, Scott Earll, and wife, and grandson, Fred Earll, all of Dixon; Clay Earll and wife and Wm. Andrus.

**SANTA CLAUS ON DEPOT AVE.**

Dementtown Children Will Have Chance To See Him Wednesday

Wednesday of next week will be a great day for the little folks in Dementtown as Santa Claus has sent word that he will be on the avenue on that day and will make his head quarters at Andy Smith's restaurant from 2 to 3 o'clock in the afternoon and will try to be back there in the evening between 7 and 8 o'clock.

**Illinoian Poisons Self.**  
Belleville, Ill., Dec. 14.—The body of Henry Steiner, forty-seven years old, a carpenter, was found lying on the floor in his home at Belleville by his wife who was returning home after a visit to neighbors. Beside Steiner's body lay a bottle which had contained carbolic acid and his lips were acid burned.

**IS YOUR COMB FULL OF FALLEN HAIR**

What to Do When Hair Comes Out.

Loose hairs in your comb and brush is Nature's way of waving a red flag in your face to tell you that your hair and scalp are losing vitality and that it is time you did something for them.

Don't disregard the warning. A little attention now may mean long, thick, luxuriant hair for you for years to come. A little further neglect and thin, dry, dull, lifeless brittle hair and finally baldness may result. To vitalize the scalp 'til it tingles with vibrant energy—to make every hair on your head healthy—get a package of Parisian Sage from Rowland Bros. or any good druggist in town and rub a little right into your scalp with the finger tips.

Parisian Sage acts directly on the entire cell life of the hair—from root to tip—helping healthy growth and stimulating a beautiful glossy texture and glorious luxuriance. Notice how quickly your hair stops coming out on brush and comb—how it is easier to handle and dress and how all signs of itching or dandruff quickly disappear. It is not expensive.

**LOOK FOR COUPLE IN LENOX MURDER**

(Continued from Page 1)

Ture found his cattle out on the road and the gate into the pasture open. The campers who had been there the night before were also gone and as it had rained the night before he noticed the tracks of the wagon could be seen on the road to the west. Nothing further was thought of the matter.

Last Saturday morning John Slater of Cambridge was hunting on the Pratt farm and in chasing a rabbit it shot under a hedge and a little ways from the hedge was a fence. Climbing over the fence he came to an old well and finding one of the planks pushed aside and thinking the rabbit might be hiding there he threw back the plank and there floating on the water within four feet of the surface was the body of a human being. The authorities were notified and the body was taken from the well. It was partially wrapped in a piece of old carpet and was minus shoes. There were a couple of links of a watch chain hanging in the button hole of his vest and the remainder of the chain and watch were missing. There was nothing found in any of his pockets aside from a telegram sent in May from Clinton, Ia., addressed to R. Lenox. The Clinton authorities were notified and they in turn notified the young man's relatives in this city.

It is supposed the murder was committed on the night of Nov. 1, and the man and woman who were with Lenox at the time can throw much light on his death if they can be located.

**Farmers Selling Their Hogs.**  
Galena, Ill., Dec. 14.—Hundreds of farmers all over northwestern Illinois are shipping their hogs to the Chicago markets because they find it too expensive to feed them now that corn must be shipped in. The local corn crop was a complete failure and farmers are obtaining supplies from central Illinois, paying as high as 75 cents per bushel.

**STERLING BOWLERS WERE BEATEN HERE**

DIXON TEAM TOOK ANOTHER CONTEST AT BRUNSWICK ALLEYS MONDAY.

**CITY LEAGUE OPENS TONIGHT**

First Game of Schedule To Be Played By Peters and Hoberg Teams.

Monday evening the picked team of Dixon bowlers defeated a picked team of Sterling bowlers on the Brunswick alleys by 199 pins. In the opening game the visitors lead by 25 pins and then the local bowlers came back strong and ran a total of over 900 pins in the last two games. The scores follow:

**Sterling.**

Fahnenbacher	218	126	181
Lewis	159	168	168
Hess	120	147	200
Pfundstein	175	168	171
Long	145	137	165
	821	746	885

**Dixon.**

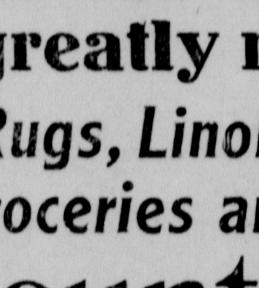
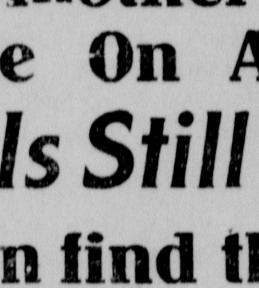
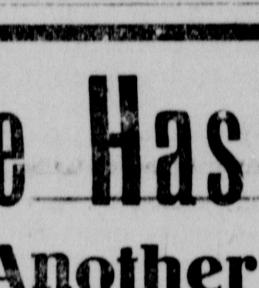
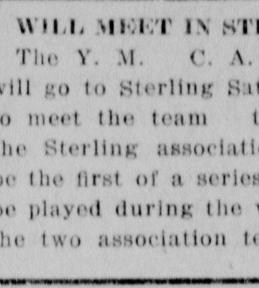
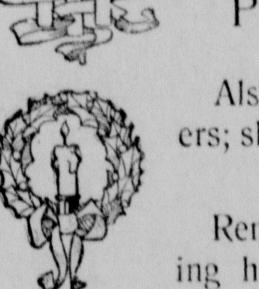
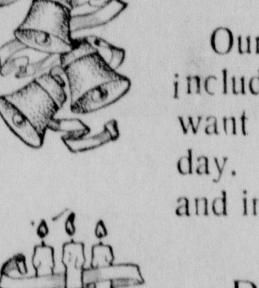
Peters	142	174	210
Duis	189	186	138
Hobert	179	199	205
Elliot	150	153	187
Devine	136	191	212
	796	903	952

City Series Opens

A series of games to be played by the city league will be started this evening on the Brunswick alleys when teams captained by Peters and Hoberg will meet. Both captains have surrounded themselves with strong teams and a warm contest may be expected tonight.

If you are at a loss to know what to give your husband for Xmas we suggest stationery letter heads and envelopes with name and address printed thereon. Those living in the country who recently named their farm would appreciate such a gift. B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co.

Your daughter would be pleased with a box of calling cards as a Xmas gift. We have them either engraved or printed. The Telegraph.



**Christmas Suggestion**

Number Twelve

For the Boy—a Suit,

Our assortment of boys' suits includes the size for the boy you want to make happy on Christmas day. They are of new patterns and in new models—ages 3 to 18,

Priced \$3.50 to \$10,

Also for the boy—Gloves, Sweaters; shoes, Neckwear, etc.

Remember in shopping "morning hours are longest."

**Boynton-Richards Co.**

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**WILL MEET IN STERLING**

The Y. M. C. A. bowling team will go to Sterling Saturday evening to meet the team that represents the Sterling association. This will be the first of a series of contests to be played during the winter between the two association teams.

**CHURCH GAME TONIGHT**

This evening at the Y. M. C. A. bowling alleys a contest will be rolled between a team made up of members from the Methodist church and one from the Presbyterian church.

**The Knife Has Again Fallen**

**And Another Big Slash  
Made On All Prices**

**Our Stock Is Still Very Complete  
and you can find the best of everything at greatly reduced prices  
on Dry Goods, Rugs, Linoleums, Ready-to-Wear,  
Groceries and Meats**

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**HATTEN & MATHIAS**

**DOUBLE S. & H. TRADING STAMPS  
ALL THIS WEEK**

Holiday Display of Handkerchiefs, Neckwear, Georgette Crepe Waists, Silk Hosiery, Kid Gloves, Damask Linens, Guest Toweling, Bath Towels, Cloaks, Sweaters, Ladies' and Children's Shoes  
Everything priced to reduce our large stock before moving Jan. 1

**O. H. Brown & Co.**

## ROAD TO HEALTH IS THROUGH THE KIDNEYS

If you suffer with pain in your back and sides or have any signs of kidney or bladder trouble such as rheumatic pains, puffy swellings under the eyes or in the feet and ankles, if you are nervous, tired and run down, or bothered with urinary disorders, Solvax will quickly and surely relieve you of your misery.

Solvax is the most potent remedy yet devised for ridding the system of uric acid and driving out all the poisonous impurities which cause such trouble. It neutralizes, dissolves and makes the kidneys sift out all the uric acid and poisons left by the blood, and renders the kidneys and urinary organs clean, vigorous and healthy.

Rowland Bros., the popular drug-gists, say that no medicine ought to be paid for unless it does the user some good. They therefore sell Solvax under a positive guarantee to relieve the worst cases of kidney trouble or refund the money. Try Solvax today and if you cannot see and feel a decided change for the better just go to Rowland Bros. and tell them you want your money back and they will return it without question. This is the strongest argument that can be offered in behalf of any medicine.

### NACHUSA.

Nachusa, Dec. 9.—The church council met at the Parsonage on Wednesday evening.

The Loyal Gleaners met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Miss Alice Herbst. After the lesson study a social hour followed, the hostess serving delicious refreshments.

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary society and the Mission Band held their annual bazaar last Saturday afternoon and evening. The Loyal Gleaners held a home baking booth in connection with the other societies. The proceeds were over \$100.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Herbst and daughter Inez and Miss Anna Herbst were shopping in Dixon Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Herbst, Miss Hult, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Emmert, C. B. Crawford, Raymond Worsley, Clyde Emmert, Mrs. W. W. Wooley, Mrs. Francis Dysart, Mrs. E. Dysart, Miss Grace Crawford, Mrs. Bishop, Mrs. N. H. Long and Mrs. D. B. Uhl were among those from Dixon who attended the bazaar.

Mrs. L. W. Trottman and Mrs. Susan Lott of Franklin Grove spent Saturday with H. M. Eicholtz and attended the bazaar.

Mrs. Reigle, Mrs. F. Hanson, Mrs. Timothy, Mrs. Dierdorff, Mrs. Crawford, Mrs. N. Hanson, Mrs. Loymeyer,

## YOUR STOMACH BAD?

JUST TRY ONE DOSE OF MAYR'S Wonderful Remedy and Be Convinced That You Can Be Restored to Health.



Mayr's Wonderful Remedy has been taken by many thousands of people throughout the land. It has brought health and happiness to sufferers who had despaired of ever being restored and who now are urging others who may be suffering with Stomach, Liver and Intestinal Ailments to try it. One dose will convince the most skeptical sufferer. It acts on the source and foundation of these ailments, removing the poisonous catarrh and bile accretions, and allaying the underlying chronic inflammation. Try one dose of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy—put it to a test today—you will be overjoyed with your quick recovery. Send for booklet on Stomach Ailments to Geo. H. Mayr, Mfg. Chemist, 154-156 Whiting St., Chicago, Ill. For sale by druggists everywhere.

Mrs. Hain, Miss Ada Hain and Mrs. Senger were among the ladies from Franklin Grove who attended the bazaar.

The Stand Togethers met at the home of Charles Coleman Tuesday evening. J. U. Weyant of Dixon gave the address, which was followed by a social hour. Delicious refreshments were served and a pleasant evening was spent.

L. R. Emmert, W. Emmert and Miss Ruth Emmert were in Dixon on Thursday.

George Welty was in Dixon Thursday.

### PALMYRA

Palmyra, Dec. 11.—The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown died Friday.

George Harms shredded corn Friday.

Samuel McGaffey of Concord, N. H., arrived Friday and is visiting his nephew, Sam McGaffey.

Walter Chronister is laid up with a sprained ankle.

Mrs. Lewis Faulhaber visited Mrs. John McKenna Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Mumford and family were in Dixon Friday.

Mrs. Will Bushey visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. Cook of Dixon Thursday.

Mrs. Charles Mensch shopped in Dixon Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Garman of Brookville are visiting at the William Martin home.

Philip Lawrence and Dan Becker left Tuesday for Seattle, Wash., to spend the winter.

Misses Ruth and Gertrude Smith were Dixon visitors Wednesday.

Arnold McGaffey has been on the sick list.

John Trout was a business caller in Dixon Saturday.

Mrs. Adam Otto was shopping in Dixon Saturday.

Earl Harms was a visitor at the Ben Smith home Wednesday evening.

### WALTON.

Walton, Dec. 13.—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Greve of Ashton are here to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James McCaffrey.

Mrs. O. Compton and children of Rock Falls visited at the home of F. J. Whitmore and family a few days this week.

H. S. Downey, auditor for the Neola Elevator company of Rochelle, was here on Wednesday transacting business.

Miss Lizzie Lannen visited in Dixon Tuesday and Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Mary O'Rourke.

George Ayres and mother moved here Monday from Dixon. They are living upstairs in the Old Hall building. Mr. Ayres will conduct a paint shop on the first floor.

J. W. Andrews and Wm. McGuire of Sterling transacted business here Tuesday.

There was a large attendance at the public sale of Owens & McCray last Tuesday. All articles sold good.

Rev. Thomas McCune of Harmon read mass here Wednesday in the absence of Rev. C. F. Conley.

### FIGHT FILM IMPORTS BARRED

Supreme Court Holds That Law on Movies Is Constitutional.

Washington Dec. 14.—The supreme court held constitutional the law of 1912, under which it is unlawful to import moving picture films of prize fights for public exhibition.

The decision was announced in a suit arising over the execution at Newark, N. J., of a film of the Wilder-Johnson fight at Havana.

Asks \$50,000 of Former Clerk. Fond du Lac, Wis., Dec. 14.—George W. Hochrein, formerly a drug clerk in Fond du Lac, now house physician at Mercy hospital, Chicago, is enjoying his honeymoon in the east while Miss Jennie Milward of Chicago is suing him for \$50,000 for breach of promise. Miss Milward was a patient of the doctor's eight years ago.

### EAT A SQUAR MEAL AND NOT FEAR INDIGESTION

There were hundreds of people in Dixon who were not the least bit surprised when they read in the "Telegraph" that Rowland Bros. are selling Mi-o-na on a guarantee to refund the money in case it did not relieve.

This remarkable dyspepsia remedy will relieve the worst case of indigestion, headache, dizziness, or the general played-out condition that afflicts every one suffering with stomach trouble. Mi-o-na does not simply relieve, it aims to cure.

Rowland Bros. can tell you of many well known people in this city who this remedy has restored to health, often after they have tried many other methods of treatment with little or no benefit. No other dyspepsia remedy has made so large a percentage of cures as Mi-o-na. It is so large that they stand ready to refund the price to any customer whom it does not help.

The best kind of advertising is the praise of a pleased customer, and there are hundreds in Dixon today praising Mi-o-na because it does what it is advertised to do. A few months ago they could eat nothing without wondering what the result would be. Since using Mi-o-na they eat what what they want and when they want with no fear of suffering.

### CHRISTMAS SHOES FOR BELGIANS

#### Relief Commission Will Not Send Toys This Yuletide.

Instead of toys and candies for delicate Belgian children there will be a Christmas ship laden with strong and warm shoes. A big shipment will arrive in King Albert's stricken country by Christmas and a still bigger one early in the year.

To facilitate this plan Henry Clews, treasurer of the Dollar Christmas Fund, has already paid to the Commission for Relief in Belgium \$25,000 and promises \$50,000 by Christmas day.

The commission has excellent facilities for buying at cost rates from the manufacturers and for \$50,000 there will be about 100,000 pairs of children's good reliable shoes.

Henry Clews, treasurer of the Dollar Christmas Fund, renews his appeal for donations which should be dressed to him at 15 Broad Street, New York. Give a dollar," he writes; "more if you can. Help us to send a Christmas gift to Belgium worthy of America. This is the last call before Christmas. Do not pass it by."

### STEWARD

Steward, Dec. 13.—The next entertainment on the lecture course will be given here Dec. 21.

Ellis Reese of Willow Creek is now attending high school here.

The Standard Bearers society met with Miss Verna Carney on Saturday evening.

Miss Dorothy Barnett and Bessie Ruckman spent a few days at Rockford last week.

Mrs. Jacob Byrd spent a couple of days here last week visiting relatives.

Paul Titus of Davis Junction spent Sunday at his home here.

Mrs. Wm. Hardy of Willow Creek spent Friday here at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mary F. Byrd.

BY MAIL  
The Evening Telegraph is \$3 a year; the Semi-Weekly Telegraph is \$1.50 a year.

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### SLAYS HIS WIFE, HER MOTHER AND HIMSELF

#### Indiana Man Commits Triple Killing in Domestic Trouble.

Madison, Ind., Dec. 14.—Holding his fifteen months' old baby in one arm while he used a revolver, Ernest W. Ashby, aged twenty-nine, a former soldier in the Twentieth Infantry, U. S. A., shot and fatally wounded his mother-in-law, Mrs. William Tague, aged fifty, killed his young wife, and then put a bullet through his own heart.

The shooting took place at the home of Mrs. Ashby's brother, a few miles west of here, and was the result of the young wife's refusal to return to live with her husband following her filing of a suit for divorce last November.

Ashby, whose home is at Kentland, Ind., left at the time the suit was filed and returned here a few days ago.

The most pleasant thought that could be entertained at Christmas Time, is the Giving of a

#### TRANSFERS CATHOLIC CASE

#### Change of Venue Granted to Accused in Murder of Lecturer.

Marshall, Tex., Dec. 14.—The cases against three Marshall men charged with the murder of William Black, an anti-Catholic lecturer, who was killed here last summer, were transferred to Galveston in change of venue.

The accused are John Copeland, George Ryan and George Tier. Their trial was to have begun today.

Nothing could be more suitable and really substantial.

An application written now, will bring the contract just in time for

Christmas

Special Privileges granted to Holiday Purchasers.

GEO. E. BEDEE  
Peoria Life Ins. Rep.  
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### BIG BRITISH LINER IS SUNK

Orteric, 6,565 Tons, Torpedoed on Way to Liverpool from Rio Janeiro.

Liverpool Dec. 14.—The British steamer Orteric, a Bank liner of 6,565 tons, was sunk by a submarine. The Orteric is said to have been on her way from Rio Janeiro to Liverpool. The Orteric is the largest vessel recently reported the victim of a submarine.

The British steamer Pinegrove, 2,812 tons, also is reported sunk.

#### Petrograd Census Taken.

Petrograd, Dec. 14.—A census of the population of Petrograd that has just been taken shows a total of 2,300,000 inhabitants.

#### British Defeat Hostile Arabs.

Cairo, Dec. 14.—Hostile Arabs were defeated in a battle with British forces Saturday.

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#### Gift to Make Some One Happy

Why not present that companion of yours with a Life Insurance Policy?

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## \$2.25 Aluminum Griddle For 85 Cents in Cash

### Special Offer to Karo Users

Read the Offer and Write Today So As To Be Sure To Get Your Griddle

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**LEE NOTES**

Lee, Dec. 11—Red Cross seals are on sale at R. G. Nowe's.

Mrs. Josephson of Shabonna was a Lee visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chichester who visited here, returned to Iowa Monday night.

Mr. Maakstad made a business trip to Chicago Monday.

Mrs. Sophia Smith shopped in Rochester Tuesday afternoon.

Oscar Bottom has plastered the er built portion of the Nelson hall.

J. E. Johnson was at Albany, Wis., the first of the week to purchase two loads of cattle and one of hogs.

While Dr. Hedberg was in Chicago, Dr. Nash of Rockford cared for his patients.

Two auto loads went to Shabbona last Monday to attend the I. T. Telephone company's meeting.

Peter Hang returned Tuesday from Compton where he visited a brother. Mr. Hang has gone to Nor way to spend the winter.

Archie Cliby was in low athe first of last wek where he attended the funeral of his half sister and Mrs. Craque, who dier in California.

L. O. Warberg just returned from Eagle Grove, Ia., where he visited his son Oscar. Mr. Warberg reportis corn as in as bad condition as here.

Mrs. F. A. Bach and Miss Inez Elde were Aurora visitors Tuesday. Miss Wakler of Leland spent a few days at the Marshall home.

**OAK FOREST.**

Oak Forest, Dec. 13—Mrs. John Boucher visited her aunt, Mrs. John Rankin, south of town on Wednesday.

Philip Lawrence and Donald Becker left Tuesday for Seattle, Wash.

Lester Hoyle and family spent Sunday with Joshua Hoyle at Nachusa.

John Lawrence Jr. who was in the Dixon hospital for three weeks having an injured eye treated, returned home Sunday. We are thankful to state that he wi'l not lose the sight of the eye.

Mrs. Oscar Miller has been having a very sore hand, having run a splinter into it. For several days it was necessary to have the doctor dress it twice a day, but now it is some better. Miss Louise Miller is staying with her for the present.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Miller and son Herbert of East Grand Forks, Minn., are here for a visit with friends and relatives.

**Orders River Pollution Stopped.**

Sycamore, Ill., Dec. 14—Pollution of the Kishwaukee river waters by drainage from various manufacturing plants at Dekalb, has been ordered discontinued by the rivers and lakes commission. It is said the drainage killed fish.

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